good condition. It is also reported that crops under kapile wells in the Molakalmuru are in good condition.

Seeds sown during the week.—Irrigated ragi, sugar-cane and paddy under channels in the Hiriyur Taluk; paddy under tanks in the Molakalmuru Taluk.

Crops harvested during the week.—Cotton and sugar-cane in some lands of the Hiriyur Taluk yield 8 annas; til in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 2 to 4 annas).

10. Prospects of the season not encouraging. Rain is wanted very badly throughout the district. Food stuffs are available but the rates are exorbitant.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good but for plague in the Chitaldrug and Challakere towns and in a few villages of the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks and cholera in the village of Nandihalli of the Chitaldrug Taluk, Chiksiddavanahalli of the Hiriyur Taluk and in a few villages of the Jagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, Water and fodder are available for the present. Difficulty for fodder is being felt in some parts of the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Holalkere, Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

N. B.—Amildar of the Holalkere Taluk reports that some raiyats have taken their cattle to Malegudda of the Channagiri Taluk for grazing.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 17th September 1918

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Revenue Commissioner.

Statement of Wholesale and Retail prices in Bangalore on 16th September 1918.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor per bag...	66	114	.....	.....	4¾ Srs. per Re.
	Pattasamanahalli Sunna per palla...	100	246	.....	.....	3½ to 3¾ „ „
	Darapur „ ...	100	246	.....	.....	„ „ „
	Mysore Kaddi „ ...	100	246	.....	.....	4½ to 4¾ „ „
	Alubbalu „ ...	100	246	.....	.....	4 „ „
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black) per cart load ...	640	...	48 0 0	.....	12 „ „
	Superior (Red) „ ...	640	...	50 0 0	.....	12 „ „
Tur ...	Gulburga ...	...	...	.....	.....	5½ to 6 „ „
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	4 „ „
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	4 to 5 „ „
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	3¾ to 4 „ „
Oil and Oilseeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26	12 0 0	.....	As. 4 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	15 0 0 to 16 0 0	.....	As. 6 „
Oilseeds ...	Gingelly or Til seed per candy ...	255	...	68 0 0 to 70 0 0	.....	
	Castor seed „ ...	255	...	68 0 0 to 70 0 0	No stock.	
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 14 0	.....	As. 0-8-6 per 5 seers
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 10 0 to 3 12 0	.....	As. 0-8-6 „
Jaggery ...	Achu ...	...	28	1 14 0 to 2 0 0	.....	As. 0-3-6 to 0-4-0 per 5 seers.
	Oonde ...	...	28	1 12 0 to 1 13 0	.....	As. 3-6-0 to 0-4-0 per 5 seers.
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26⅔	30 0 0 to 32 0 0	.....	As. 0-13-0 to 0-14-0 per seer.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	...	164	8 12 0 to 9 8 0	.....	8 to 8½ seers per rupee.

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